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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2006 and Notice of Appeal filed on August 10, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. The Applicants also submit herewith a Request for Continued Examination, Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, a corrected IDS Form 1449 as an attachment to this Amendment and a petition for an extension of time to the present date, with payment of the appropriate fees.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of the Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.